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Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

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**My Earthly Love**

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To one who treads the solid earth,
I send alike my song and prayer.
To perfect matter strong and sweet,
The face and form of her I love;
The matchless speech and subtile breath,
And eyelid trembling like a dove,—
A dove within an earthly nest,
Who hears the coming of her mate,
Or feels his kiss upon her breast,
And chides him that he comes so late.

The matchless joy of sense I sing!
The early joy of here and now;
Before no fading ghost I kneel—
Before no distant future bow.
Go, little song, and seek the lips
Of her who waits thee with a kiss;
And tell her, only in her arms
Thy poet-master dreams of bliss.
No angle seen by prophet eye,
Nor shaped by art with peerless grace,
With feet that tread the azure sky,
And roam the boundless geld of space,
Is half so true or sweetly fair
As one who walks with me apart:
I lose me in her shining hair,—
She is the goddess of my heart.

Death so like a solemn cloud
Within a gentle summer sky,
Thou lovely phantom sad to see,
I will not fear thee though I die!
Go, little song, to her I love,
And tell her Death is in the air;
It is his shadow on the world
That makes the present moment fair.
We have one hour of life and love,
And ages filled with silent sleep—
There is no time for faith to pray,
Nor is re for sullen grief to weep.
Go, tell her if we love not now,
The life we live is only death
And dust, that have no joy in time,
And only feed on bitter breath

### Selected Story.

**A Little Fool.**

Florence Reid was the little fool, and Julia Willis, her cousin, it was who called her so. You can judge between them if you like; it is a story that will not take long in the telling.

Florence—or Flory, for nobody ever dreamed of calling her anything else—Florry Reid was not in the least what one would call a beauty; but then she had the softest eyes and the sweetest lips in the world. Something at least to that effect Charley Dennis had been heard to declare, and it is very much to be believed that he spoke as one who should know on the subject.

The two had been lovers for quite a while; lovers in the bud, as one may say, and everybody knows that the bud is the sweetest part of the whole blossom-season. The practical, common-place stage of declaration had not yet been reached; it was the time of broken hints and secret hand pressures, of stolen kisses and general felicity. Florry walked on air, and forgot that it was not her native element, till one unlucky day the clouds melted under her feet, and let her down to earth again with a rude thump.

It was the day of a celebration given in Blackville to commemorate some event perfectly uninteresting to the world at large, but of the very last importance to the Blackvillians. For, though Blackville was a little place, its inhabitance were men and women very much like other people, and measured the universe on the Blackville yardstick after the orthodox and proper fashion.

The festivity beginning with an oration ended with a picnic in a grove just outside the town, a magnificent maple grove whose violet scented solitudes it was almost a sin to profane with the clatter of hardware and the popping of ginger beer corks. Charley Dennis and Florry were there together, as they were together every where. But unfortunately for Florry, Miss Adela Brent was there also.

This lady was not Blackville born. She came from a much larger town, a town which would have turned up its nose very high indeed at poor little Blackville, had it happened to be aware of its existence at all. For which the Blackvilians naturally looked with admiring awe upon it and all that pertained to it. Miss Adela, then, being a visitor just arrived among them, her *debut* was an event second only to the great event commemorated by the day. She was not prettier than half their own girls there present, but she was wholly unlike them in dress and style: in a word, she was something new; and if novelty is one of the greatest of all charms anywhere, it certainly is not the least so in a small country town where a wholesome fear of his neighbor holds each in decent restraint So all eyes were fastened on the stranger when, at a rather late hour, she made her appearance on the ground, which in nowise discomposed her. She settled herself and her flounces, gave a final toss to the frizzy wilderness surmounting her little head, and turning back her fan-parisol, looked around her with much the air with which a traveler, stranded among savages, might observe their barbarous customs.

The first of the natives on whom her glances chanced to rest, were Florry and Charley, and she vouchsafed them a prolonged examination, under which Florry's eyes fell and her color rose; whereupon Adela, who had already mentally inventoried her as pretty, but deplorably without style, regarded her anew, with amused compassion, as a girl who could actually blush for being looked at!

Charlie did not blush though. On the contrary, he returned the gaze with one which might have abashed some girls. But Miss Brent was a young lady not easily abashed, and if the very evident admiration in the handsome savage's black eyes affected her in any way, it was it was certainly neither to embarras nor offend her. That was plain from the manner in which she received his advances later; else the two would not have made so rapid an acquaintance, nor have been missing when, by-and-by, a stroll through the grove was proposed, so that Flory had to put up with the escort of her cousin Fred Willis, a necessity considerably more agreeable to him than her.

Oh, what a cloudy ending for a day that had begun all sunshine! Florry wondered piteously, when, the festival at an end, they drove back through the evening together, could this be the same Charlie, who, on that very road, only a few hours before, had said,—well, it was not so much *what* he had said as the way, and especially the look, with which he had said it,—could this be the same, this abstracted individual who had to keep rousing himself out of some revery over —what! The charms of Miss Adelia Brent? Florry greatly feared it.

Yes, that was it. New brooms sweep clean, and Miss Adela's flounces and frizzes had swept Charley quite away from his moorings. In a week, she could turn him round her little finger; in another, he had as completely deserted "the softest eyes and sweetest lips," as if that and many a like speech had been but empty air.

If Florry had been a heroine, she would probably have broken her heart; have taken to writing poetry and reducing her weight at the rate of a pound a day. But then she was not a bit of a heroine; an army of little brothers and sisters to attend to left her no time for poetry writing, while Blackville, although as before stated, an insignificant place, had a bracing mountain air which forced people to eat in spite of themselves. So Florry, occupied with small frocks and stockings, did not lose her pretty color or roundness, and if there were tears in the "softest eyes," and sighs on the "sweetest lips," why, that is only what is hapening every day to eyes and lips that are neither soft nor sweet.

No, Florry had no notion of sitting for a picture of despair. She had a stout little heart of her own, as brave as it was warm, and whatever the trial she "grinned and bore it,"—metaphorically speaking; Nature in bestowing on her a pair of dimples, having put the grin sardonic out of her power. It was very hard, very provoking, very cruel of Charley no doubt but still it was Charley and she was not going to make an outcry against him. That was Florry's way of looking at it; there are such people now and then in this medley of a world.

But her cousin Julia, Fred Willi's sister, was quite of another mind. Julia was a young lady who had opinions and liked to speak them. She considered that Charley Dennis was behaving himself in a weak, wicked, and altogether disgraceful manner, which Florry was bound to resent; and this quite apart from her pet plan of making a match between her cousin and her brother, for Julia if prejudiced, was honest. So she had no mercy for the truant Charley, abusing him as often and as open as Florry's reserve would allow, till one day the barrier broke down, and let the full tide of her wrath sweep over.

Fred was describing a party of the previous evening, at which neither of the girls had been present.

"I suppose *that* Miss Brent was there as large as life?" said Julia, whose habit it was to use the pronoun of censure in referring to Adelia.

"Yes, she was there," answered Fred, and laughed to himself for a moment. Then aloud. "The fool Charlie Dennis makes of himself with that girl!" he said.

"And what he can see in her!" exclaimed Julia. "She's no beauty, certainly."

"Oh, as to that, she's pretty enough," said her brother—masculine and feminine eyes are so apt to see this matter differently—"but as out and out a little flirt as ever I saw. Friend Charley'll find himself at the end of his string one of these days, or I'm much mistaken."

"And serve him right?" pronounced Julia, with viscious emphasis.

"Why serve him right?" here unexpectedly put in Florry, with more spirit than was usual to her soft voice. "Why should anybody object to Charley's waiting on Miss Brent if he likes?"

"Oh, if it suits him, *I've* nothing to say against it. I'm sure," was all Julia could say in answer. Each one of the three knew quite well what had been meant by his being served right, and each knew that the others knew, but still it was the thing to ignore it in Fred's presence, so Julia could only look the pins and needles she longed to speak.

But the moment Fred was gone, she indemnified herself for this forced clemency. She pounced down on Florry, and never left her till she had worried her into tears and confession. Then she paused, half in triumph, half in pity.

"Now, don't be a goose, Florry," she said soothingly, tapping the bit of flushed cheek not hidden in the clasped hands, "if there ever was a man worth crying about, I'm sure it isn't Charley Dennis."

Florry made no reply to this, but she lifted her head and set some stitches rather blindly in the embroidered frock on her lap. But it was lucky that Master Harry, for whom it was destined, was not a connoisseur in fine needle work, else it is to be feared that cotton rose spray would have been a thorn in his side so long as anything remained of it.

"Depend upon it, Florry," resumed Julia, after a pause, "you're well rid of him, if you only would think so. A man that don't know his own mind better than that! Why, I do believe it's a full month since he set his foot inside this house—he that used to be in and out, till I was fairly sick of the sight of him. I only wish," went on Julia with energy, "he would come again, just once, just to see how much difference it makes to us—and I declare," she broke off abruptly, looking out of the window, which she faced," if there he isn't this minute opening the gate! Well, the—what-you-call-him *is* near when you talk about him, sure enough!"

Charley it really was at the gate, and at the gate we will be impolite enough to leave him, while we explain how he came to the just in the nick of time.

It is a very common rural custom "to improve the shining hours" of the full moon, not, indeed, as "doth the little busy bee," but after a fashion quite as agreeable, if less industrious. Each Jack, with his chosen Jill beside him, bowls along the open country roads at a pace to be settled by his own taste and the powers of his horse. Now, the Blackville moon being just at present at the full, a jollification of this sort had been arranged for the morrow evening, and Charlie accordingly took an early opportunity to make sure of Miss Adela Brent.

But, if the truth must be told, Miss Adela was growing rather tired of his rustic homage. Add to which, that her own particular "young man" had just come from town to see her, and it will easily be perceived that Charley's chances were not so good as he fondly imagined. The pair stood in the porch, watching him as he approached, and indulging in comments which, if there be any truth in proverbs, should have made his ears tingle.

"Oh! it is us Father Noah intends honoring with a visit," remarked Mr. Walter Wilmington, when Charley's "ark," as the other had irreverently dubbed his carriage drew up at the gate. "Am I to leave you to a *tete-a-tete*, Adela?"

"Oh, for mercy sake no!" answered Adela, "for he is such a bore"—(poor Charley!)—"he would stay forever!"

So Charlie waited in vain for Mr. Wilmington to go and give him a chance to make know his errand. At least, as it became evident that he did not intend going, and Charley could in decency wait no longer, he opened the subject with an introductory remark on the fineness of the weather.

"Good weather for green things," nonchalantly observed Mr. Wilmington, with a glance at Charley easily understood.

"Especially the carrot crop," returned Charley, with an equally intelligible look at his new acquaintance's perfumed luxuriant locks, which undoubtedly did bear on the auburn. After which little exchange of civilities, Mr. Wilmington retired into the privacy of his segar smoke, and Charlie proceeded to make his request.

"Well, I don't know," replied Miss Adelia, languidly playing with her fan, that sort of thing is so apt to be tiresome—don't you think so?" Charley who certainly had not thought she found that or any other sort of thing tiresome in his company, remained speechless, while she resumed, "I am afraid you really must excuse me this time—but I dare say Mr. Dennis, Miss Florence Wells would be happy to go if you asked her."

The blood rushed to Charlies face at this last piece of politeness, and he took his leave of the young lady, inwardly vowing that he would excuse her not only for that, but for all future time; that if she were to remain the rest of her natural life in Blackville, she should be troubled with no more tiresome attentions from him.

"Florry indeed!" he said to himself, indignantly. "She may sneer if she likes, but she's not one-half so nice as Florry—and take away the frizzes and flounces, I do believe not one-half so pretty!"

He really did believe it, none the less that it was wounded vanity which had opened his eyes to the perception. And, with all his anger and mortification, there was mingled an odd sense of relief, which would seem to indicate that it was nothing deeper than his fancy had been taken by Miss Brent.

"What if I were to ask Florry?" his reflections went on. "Only it is so long since I've been near her. But, then she's such a sweet tempered little thing. I've half a mind to risk it." And the end of it was that he did risk it; and that was how he came to give Julia occasion to quote a very unflattering old proverb on his behalf. And now, as he has waited at the gate quite long enough, we will let him in, and see how he fared within doors.

It was an absurdly constrained interview. Neither Florry nor Charley felt equal to bearing the burden of the conversation. Julia could have done it well enough, if she had chose, but she would not. So there were meaningless remarks, interspersed with pauses longer than the code of well-regulated society admits.

"It is quite a while since I was here," blundered Charley after one of these, in sheer dispair of anything better to say.

"I wonder what yor are here for now?" retorted Julia, unable longer to keep silence, while Florry stitched as if for dear life.

Charley could not very well answer the truth, and, not knowing what else to answer, he held his tongue. Julia, however, had no scruples to hold hers, which, moreover, at the best of times was apt to be an unruly member, so she said in her downright way:

"I suppose that Miss Brent has had enough of you, and given you permission to remember old acquaintances at last."

This hit the case so exactly, that it left Charlie without a single word to say for himself. Perceiving which Julia laughed in scornful triumph, and, rising from her seat, added ironically.

"It is hard to have to lose the pleasure of your society now that it is grown such a rarity, but I have an engagement, so I hope you will excuse me." With which party squib, and a whisper in passing—"Be firm, Florry!"—she left the room.

And we can not do better than follow her.

Having proceeded to fulfill her engagement—the rummaging of a chest of drawers, up-stairs—Julia, who guessed Charley's errand well enough, waited for him to make it known and be gone. But never, surely, had a simple proposal for a drive taken such a while in the asking and refusing! Exactly how long she had to wait, Julia could not say, but a very long time, indeed, measured by her patience. Just as the last thread of that was giving way; she heard the outside door close, and flying to the window, saw Charley Dennis's head bobbing in and out between the tall hollyhook borders. In less time than it takes to tell it, she was down in the parlor, where she found Florry still stitching away, as if the completion of six-year-old Harry's frock was the one thing for which the whole universe was waiting.

"Ah!" said Julia, exultantly, as she advanced, "revenge *is* sweet, let the moralists say what they like! I haven't seen you, I don't know when, with such a nice color. Well, I hope you've sent Mr. Charley Dennis properly about his business?"

"N—no," said Florry, with an increase of the nice color

"No!" repeated Julia, looking doubtfully at her, "what do you mean by 'No?' What have you done, then—never promised to go with him, surely?"

"I—I've promised to—marry him," answered Florry,

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## JUDICIAL CONVENTION

### FIRST DISTRICT.

By virtue of the power and authority to me given by the State Executive Committee, and the Committee of twenty-three, appointed by the Republican caucus on the 12th day of February last, in the city of Raleigh, I do hereby appoint Wednesday, the 17th day of June, 1874, and Hertford, Perquimans county, N. C., as the place for the Republican party of the 1st Judicial District, to assemble in Convention to nominate a candidate for Judge and for Solicitor for said District, and to transact such other business as the Convention may deem best for the interest of the party. The counties composing said District are requested to send delegates to said Convention and they will be entitled to one vote each in said Convention.

The Convention will be called to order at 12 o'clock M. punctually.

GEO. W. COBB.
Chairman.

Elizabeth City N. C. May 13th 1874.

### *FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.*

Some time ago a gentleman sent us an article which we did not see fit to publish. He has just written us a letter pretty severely criticising our refusal. He says:

"I find that the freedom of the press is not what I once thought it was. I find it consists in the liberty of any man to print what he can pay for, or the furnishing of such articles as will increase the circulation, or such as chime in with the views of the conductors of the press."

To a large extent this is true, and what is there in it of which our good friend should complain? The three essentials of liberty of the press, refered to, are those held in every country, by all intelligent men, where freedom is enjoyed. "The liberty of any man to print what he can pay for" is all the liberty to which "any man" is entitled anywhere. Does our friend expect to have the "liberty" to print what he pleases at another man's cost? Would this be just? Shall JOHN DOE publish a newspaper at his expense and risk, and allow PETER JONES to print what he pleases in it? True "Freedom of the Press" means that PETER JONES may print what he pleases to pay for, and that JOHN DOE may refuse to publish what is not paid for.

Unfortunately, our friend has obtained the idea largely entertained in this world that a free press means one in which every man has a right to say what he likes at the expense of the publisher. It is a mistake. Every publisher is at liberty to judge what is for his interest and the public good, and if he publishes his own paper, *as we do*, he has as complete controle of it as a pastor of hi pulpit. Into it he welcomes such views as are in harmony with his own, and such discussions of views as he thinks will edify the public and promote the common good.

On this question the NORTH CAROLINIAN has always tried to be fair and just. But its editor never thought that freedom of the press required him to surrender the right of judging what shall and what shall not be printed. And our good friend will agree with us when he thinks again.

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On our first page we publish the eulogy of Congressman LAMAR, of Miss., on Senator SUMNER. Coming as it does from a leading ex-rebel it is frank, pathetic generous. It is a manly, earnest and eloquent plea for reconcilliation. "My countrymen," says he, "*know* each other and you will LOVE each other." Such speeches cannot fail to do good. Unlike the address of ANTONY, made over the dead body of a CÆSAR, to stir the hearts of the people to a frenzy of mutiny and rage, they come as appeals to bury all animosity in the grave opened for the reception of a courageous, generous and honest heart. Such invocations to the country cannot fail in bringing forth good fruit.

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Skimmed milk is worth two cents a quart in New Hampshire for feeding pigs.—*Ex.*

We have heard of ten cents a quart to be paid for it to feed babies with.

### *GEN. HOWARD ACQUITTED.*

We had not the slightest doubt that Gen. HOWARD would be acquitted if he had a fair trial. The court martial which has been trying him for the last three weeks or more, has exonerated him fully on every charge, and the result has been communicated to the President for his approbation. This will be promptly given, and thus the good name of an excellent man will be thoroughly vindicated. We predicted this result when the trial was ordered, such was our confidence in the integrity of Gen. HOWARD. It might be that, through his trusting too much to the fidelity of subordinates, the Government had been wronged in his administration of the affairs of the Freedmen's Bureau, but we were persuaded he could have been guilty of no intentional wrong. We want to see the official report of the finding in his case. It is substantially as follows:

"That Brigadier-General Oliver O. Howard has conducted the affairs of the Freedmen's Bureau with ability and fidelity; that he is not properly chargeable with any of the offences imputed to him, not having offended legally morally or technically against the positive law or army regulations; that he is worthy of the sympathy and confidence of his associates in the Army."

### *AN IMPORTANT DICISION ON WAR CLAIMS.*

We see that the Committee on War Claims of which Hon. C. L. COBB is an active and efficient member, have made an important decision. The question was submitted whether the Government was legally liable for damages sustained by individuals for the seizure and use of property in the rebellious States after August 20th 1866. After a thorough examination of the subject a report has been framed which will assume the position that the Government could not, after the date mentioned, take without just compensation the property of citizens, no matter what the previous political affiliations of the person might have been, without rendering suitable compensation therefor.

We repeat, this is an important decision and for it the people of the South are largely indebted to the Member from the First District of North North Carolina. Thus far a large number of claimants in the South have prosecuted their claims before the various Departments without success. This decision will secure them remuneration for property actually appropriated by the officers of the United States.

### *THE MISSISSIPPI FLOODS.*

The inundations of the low lands of the Mississippi continues and effects large districts in Mississippi, Louisana, Arkansas and Tennessee. The suffering of the people is great. Even when the flood subsides their troubles are not ended. Their plantations have been covered with water, their crops of sugar, grain and cotton have been destroyed and many of them entirely deprived of their homes. The greater portion of the thousands of acres under water along the river cannot be utilized for cultivation this year at all because they cannot be drained. They are lower than the surface of the river, and consequently the water can only pass off of them by the slow process of passing into the marshes and filtering into the ground. It will be many months before the people can return to these lands, and for this year they can raise scarcely anything. They are really in a destitute condition and very properly the government is giving them aid.

It was stated by a New Orleaus paper the other day that the sugar crop alone will cost Louisana six millions of dollars. Multiply that sinple item by the loss of other crops, and the enforced idleness of those who earn their bread by cultivating the soil, and the aggregate of the damage resulting directly or indirectly from the floods become appalling.

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SCRIBNER'S FOR JUNE.—"The South Carolina Problem" is discussed with fullness, sharpness and apparent fairness by Mr. Edward King, in the June number of *Scribner's*. This being one of "The Great Sonth" series, the illustrations are, as usual, numerous, and deal with character as well as landscape and architecture. There are in this number six stories, or parts of stories, the authors being the now famous Saxe Holm (the beginning of a story in two installments), Henry James Jr., Rebecca Harding Davis, Adeline Trafton, Amelie La Forge, and Jules Verne. The second and concluding paper on Tennyson, by Stedman; an illustrated paper on "Au Sable Chasm," the gate of Adirondacks; a sketch, with portrait, of the poet Aldrich; an account of "An Elephant Hunt in Siam;" and poems by Colonel Higginson, Benjamin F. Taylor, Mary L. Ritter, Elizabeth Aken Allen and Martha P. Lowe comylete the list of contributions. In "Topics of the Times" Dr. Holland writes about The Late Broklyn Council, The Moral Power of Women and A Good Fellow. The Old Cabinet has to do with Barbarism. There is a long and "timely" poem, "Diogenes in America" in Etchings, and there are book notices, scientific notes etc., as usual.

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Certain leading Democrats of the country held a meeting at the head quarters of the Manhattan Club in New York a few days ago, the object of which was to revive and reorganize the Democratic party. But it proved a dead failure. In referring to it the Springfield *Republican* says:

The demonstration has fallen flat. A few hundred well-dressed gentlemen have done justice to a toothsome collation, imbibed a certain quantity of champagne, and listened to sundry more or less entertaining and edifying speeches. Wherein the Democratic party is the better for the performance, does not yet appear; it seems to be very much where it was before.

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English tourists are always the most liberal purchasers of knick-knacks and curiosities in the stores of Peking and Canton.—*Ex.*

Certainly. A Bull in a China shop generally manages to make things lively during his visit.

Several ladies waited on the Pope the other day to get his blessing, and the old gentleman denounced the kings of the earth who have turned against him, and especially the Roman Catholic powers who ought to be obedient to his commands. His long speech remiads the reader of the toothless old giant in Pilgrim's Progress.

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The Arkansas war is ended at last. President GRANT has finally concluded to recognize ELISHA BAXTER as Governor of the State, and has issued his proclamation to that effect. This has caused great rejoicing all over the State, and especially at Little Rock, the capitol, as all business had been suspended for weeks.

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The American Oriental Topographical Corps have reached Jerusalem, after making very successful explorations in the vicinity of Mount Sinai. They report, a very remarkable fact, that they were detained two days by a heavy snow storm about Mount Sinai. The expedition will leave soon for Bashan and Moab.

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Secretary Robeson's war upon hazing at Annapolis bids fair to end in something more than smoke.—*Ex.*

Let the young gentlemen cadets defer their impatience to "blow a cloud" until the time comes for them to do so from the 15 inch guns on board of their country's monitors.

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"Owing to a press of business we are compelled to omit the usual Sunday sensation.—*Kansas Editor.*

A polite way of announcing that he hadn't time to comb his hair, or put on the customary biled shirt.

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Messrs. Brooks and Baxter are members of and pew-holders in the same Methodist Church in Little Rock.—*Ex.*

Wouldn't it be interesting to have them relate their respective experiences in class meetings?

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There is a growing impression that the Gubernatorial chair of Louisana can't be mended by any Carpenter, but that it will have to be sent to the Cabinet maker.

## CORRESPONDENCE

**An Excursion and Pic-nic at the W. F. College, Murfreesboro, N. C.**

MURFREESBORO, N. C.,
May 9th, 1874.

The sun arose, as usual, yesterday morning, but early as he was the girls were ahead of him. No bell was needed to call them from Dream-land, for all were up and their merry peals of laughter were heard much earlier than was their wont. A band of joyous faces assembled in the Chapel, radient with anticipated pleasure.

Breakfast being over, all were impatient for the starting hour to come. At last the bell summoned them to the hall below, there two and by two, led by our *kind* President, we marched forth, carrying a large boquet for Capt. Langhorn who kindly offered the "Hellen Smith" for the occasion. I followed them to the veranda and watched them out of the gate. It was a lovely sight, An hundred and fifty girls, dressed in callico dresses and bonnets, going to spend a May-day in the woods. It was a trial to be left behind, (I had been suffering with a cold, accompanied by a severe headache and reluctantly concluded to remain), but imagine my regret, when as the sun sank in the West, murmuring voices again called me to the veranda where I heard of the pleasant trip down the river and the fishery, then of the boasting, swinging, rope jumping, and other amusements, at the head of which was Mr. Starr anxious to see each one happy. All come home in the evening, a little tired but well pleased with the day.

### An Endorsement.

*To the Editor of the North Carolinian:*

Glancing over your local columns (published May 13th,) I observed a sentiment which speaks the tone of a magnanimous and philanthropical periodical; a sentiment which will extract the highest encomiums from every manly bosom, regardless of party, or creed, race or color.

It was that "You would not descend to that low and vulgar vituperation and abuse (which some would have you) upon the Democrats, and those who expect it, will be doomed to disappointment."

I am proud to know that the success and greatness of the great Republican Party is not suspended by any such slender cord, and those who seek shelter under such a contemptible roof, must call down the frowns of Heaven upon them, and be subject to compunction of conscience, as well as the scorn and ridicule, of all honest and dignified gentlemen of this great commonwealth.

REPUBLICAN,
of Perquimans.

May 19th, 1874.

### From Washington.

In the United States Senate the bill to enable Indians to become citizens was favorably reported on. The bill to distribute the award of the Geneva Tribunal was discussed. A compromise Currency bill was reported. The River and Harbor Appropriation pill was acted on.

In the House the Senate bill for the relief of the sufferers in Louisiana, appropriating $100,000, and authorizing the issue of clothing and rations was concurred in. The Centennial bill was sent back to the committee. Action was taken to obtain information in reference to the landing of foreign convicts on our shores and bills was presented to extend the Presidential office to six years and prohibit more than one election. The Indian and River and Harbor Appropriation bill was passed. A resolution was adopted declaring that if taxation is increased it shall be upon incomes and incorporations. The Military Academy Appropriation bill was passed. The bill for the better protection of passengers in steam vessels was amended and passed One of its provisions abolishes compulsory pilotage upon all coasting vessels.

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Caution to Purchasers of the Peruvian Syrup (a protected solution of the protoxide of iron). Beware of being deceived by any of the preparations of Peruvian Bark, or Bark and Iron, which may be offered to you. Every bottle of genuine has Peruvian Syrup (not Peruvian Bark) blown in the glass. Examine the Bottle before Purchasing.

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The Rev. Robert Collyer of Chicago is affectionately termed "Our Bob" by the eligious daily, the Chicago *Times*.

### New Quarters.

We notice by a late issue of *Our Fireside Friend*, Chigo, that this well-knowu and popular weekly has moved into its new building. This building is a four story marble front, being numbers 284, 286 & 288 Wabash Avenue, nearly opposite the post office, and has been fitted by the Publishers with sepcial reference and adaptation to their business. In the basement, which is 60 x 80 feet, are four large steam power presses, small job press, folder cutting machine, engine, etc. On the next, or ground floor, are the store and premium packing and shipping rooms, where the frames chromos and other premiums are put up and shipped to subscribers and agents. On the second floor are situated the general business, subscription and agency offices. On the third floor are the editorial rooms, the advertising office, and the rooms where all the chromos are mounted and finished. On the fourth floor is the large composing room; a steam elevator, running from basement to fourth floor, connects the whole. The whole establishment is acknowledged to be one of the finest and best appointed publishing and printing offices in the West. The success of *Our Fireside Friend* has been large and decided. It has been thoroughly established as one of the leading Family and Story Weeklies of America. It now enjoys the largest circulation. This success enables its publishers to furnish the subscribers a Weekly of rare merit and value, and to give valuable and unequaled premiums. It's system of premiums is evidently popular; it has been thoroughly tried, and is now established. The list for 1874 contains novel and unexpected inducements. Every subscriber gets the worth of the money paid at the time of subscribing, and in addition has a chance of securing a premium ranging in value from $1.00 to $10,000. We should think it the *best thing* ever offered local or canvassing agents. The publishers are Messrs. Waters & Co., Chicago, Ill., who furnish an excellent paying business to local agents and canvassers, considered by most the *best in America*. They send, *post paid and free* to any address, sample copies of paper, quarter sheets, their immense list of goods, ect., ect. Every reader should send his or her address to WATERS & CO., PUBLISHERS, CHICAGO, ILL.

### Mark Twain's Hints Ahent Work.

*The days are getting longer*, and the sun does not set as soon as it did in January, therefore farmers have ample opportunity to put in the seed for an early crop of clothes-pins.

*Turnips* should never be pulled—it injures them. It is much better to send a boy up and let him shake the tree.

*Cows* in wet and slushy weather should not be allowed to leave their rooms, otherwise a sudden attack of influenza may dry up their milk. Be careful also not to give them vinegar with their pickles. It is certain to make the milk sour. A simple diet of soup, plain roast beef and potatoes, and rice pudding is the proper thing to make cows thrive.

*It is evident* that we are to have a backward season for grain. Therefore, it will be well for the farmer to begin setting out his corn-stalks and planting his buckwheat cakes in May instead of August.

*With hogs* this is the laying season, and you should give them plenty of lime and egg-shells mixed in their feed. Broken glass is good for the same purpose, though it is apt to make the shells brittle. Care is to be taken in picking the hogs before putting them in the oven.

*The guano* is a fine bird, but great care is necessary in rearing it. It should not be imported earlier than May nor later than September. In the Winter it should be kept in a warm place where it can hatch out its young.

*Chickens*, during the early Spring, can not be expected to catch many worms, since the latter hibernate in the tops of tall trees. Keep your chickens in a warm stable, and see that there is always plenty of hay in their racks. Let their halters be long enough to permit them to lie down comfortably, otherwise you may find them choked to death in the course of the night.

*The pumpkin* is a favorite berry with the natives of the interior of New England, who prefer it to the goose berry for the making of fruit cake, and who likewise give it the preference over the raspberry for feeding cows, as being more filling and fully as satisfying. The pumpkin is the only esculent of the orange family that will thrive in the North, except the gourd and one or two varieties of the squash. But the custom of planting it in the front yard with the shrubbery is fast going out of vogue, for it is now generally conceeded that the pumpkin, as a shade tree, is a failure.

### What we'll Hear.

In the campaign about to open we may expect to hear all about the State debt. Men who have shown themselves incapable of running a two horse farm profitably will tell the people exactly how the State debt was incurred and exactly how it can be paid. Men who can't tell in three guesses how many counties there are in the State will show how much ignorance has been shown by our law makers in the past.

Men will denounce members of the Republican party as "Radicals," who can't tell what the term signifies if they were on oath.

Men will dwell pathetically on the purchase of "cork-screws," and "ostrich feathers" by State officers without ever knowing or telling how much the Legislative Department of the State government costs during the past year.

Men will promise to favor a reduction of taxes, who won't be able to tell how much tax is now levied on the hundred dollars valuation of land, and who are as ignorant of the revenue law as they are of the Hebrew language.

Men will froth and foam, and rave and stamy and swear they will stand by the principles of the "Democratic party," who could not find one of those principles if he were furnished with a searchwarrant.

We've all seen it before, and been disgusted at it, but that's the way "Solomons" are made—or at least it's the way they are elected.—*Era.*

### The Editor as a Derrick for Politicians.

It costs the proprietors of the *Appeal* $300 a day to publish the raper, and we cannot see how aspirants for office can expect, at our expense, to use our columns to aid them in getting an office worth ten, fifteen or twenty thousand dollars per annum. If there be an honor in the office of Governor, or a seat in the Legislature, "Many Voters" who would confer this honor should not seek to do so at the expense of others, and must pay for the praise they lavish upon the men they would exalt. The press has too long been "hewers of wood and drawers of water" for political aspirants, seeking high position. Editors have too long been the ladder, to be kicked over by men who have secured offices which enriched them. Candidates in search of offices of honor or profit can find access to our columns; but their ubiquitous friend, "Many Voters," cannot herald their greatness or extoll their merits and many virtures at our expense. —*Memphis Appeal.*

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The great want of Fair Play, Colorado is "a car load of marriageable girls."

A Missouri judge has decided that a woman is not an "old maid" until she is thirty-five years old.

A number of men in Mitchell county have recently been arrested on charge of passing counterfeit money.

If "hymeneal" is a good word for weddings, why not "crymeneal" for births?—*Wilmington Star.* And "fry-meneal" wouldn't be inapt for funerals, if cremation comes into fashion.—*Petersburg Index-Appeal.*

A check for $60,000 was recently handed the inventor of metalic tips for childrens shoes, in payment of his share in a reissue of the patient, which he had originally sold for $100. And now, with such encouragement as this, suggests the *Commercial Advertiser*, why can't he win the everlasting gratitude of mothers by inventing some kind of brass knee plates for little boys trousers?

Mr. James Gorden Bennett, proprietor of the New York *Herald*, distinguished himself on Monday, the 4th inst., by winning a walking match of ten miles from his residence on Fifth Avenue to Jerome Park. His antagonist was a young lawyer named Whipple, who had the reputation of being the fastest amateur pedestrian in the city. Mr. Bennett trained carefully for the race ten days beforehand, but his antagonist took matters more easily and was beaten. This contest in athletics was unfortunately degraded by being made the occation of a great deal of betting. The match was for three thousand dollars a side and it is said that as much as $50,000 was lost and won in bets. Mr. Bennett walked ten miles in 1 hour 46 minutes and 55 seconds.


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Perquimans County. }

David Parker.

vs

John Pool, C.C. Pool, H. A. Morgan and F. W. Miller.

PETITION FOR REMOVAL OF TRUSTEE.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the return made by the Sheriff of Perquimans county and affidavits of Jesse C. Jacocks and Thomas G. Skinner that the defendants John Pool and C. C. Pool cannot be found in the county and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of this State.

It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the NORTH CAROLINIAN, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, N. C., for six successive weeks notifying the said John Pool and C. C. Pool to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Hertford, on Saturday the 4th day of July next, then and there to answer or demur to the complaint of the above named plaintiff, otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them and the prayer of the plaintiff granted.

Witness John H. Cox, Clerk of said Court at Hertford, this the 14th day of May, 1874.
48-6t. JOHN H. COX, C. S. C.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of Chas. L. Stokely.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his being chosen as Assignee of C. L. Stokely of Pasquotank, N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee,
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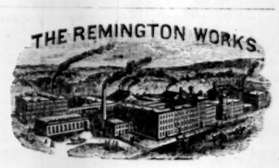


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J. S. WILCOX, Administrator,
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Now, then, I, Tod R. Caldwell, Governer of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of

THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS

for the arrest and delivery of the said Jacob R. Hathaway to the Sheriff of Gates county, at the court house in Gatesville.

Done at our city of Raleigh the 16th day of April A. D. 1874, and in the 98th [L. S.] year of American Independence.

TOD R. CALDWELL.

By the Governor:
J. B. NEATHERY,
Private Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

Jacob R. Hathaway is about 45 years of age, about five feet eleven inches high, dark complexion, black hair, dark eyes, whiskers a little grayish, good teeth, and weighs about 140 pounds. 44-3t.

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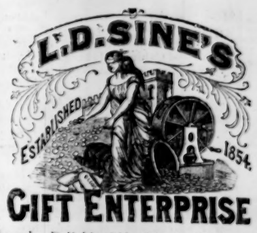


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# NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1874.


☞ TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers.

*THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.*


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## Local and Personal.

☞ The NORCH CAROLINIAN will be furnished during the campaign for 50 cents a copy, *always in advance.*

☞ We are informed that the Pioneer Steam Transportation Company will start their night line between Norfolk and Elizabeth City on the 25th inst.

☞ The young gentleman who wrote us the letter dated "*Mary* 14, 1874" evidently has the heart disease. It is to be hoped that *Mary* will cure it.

☞ We learn that D. G. BUSH, Esq. has been elected President of the Atlantic Coast Railway Company, and that active operations will now soon be commenced.

☞ Our reporter informs us that there is a young man "crossed in love," preparing to emigrate on the ostensible ground that Elizabeth City is "no kind of a place anyhow." Good bye!

☞ From a Prospectus received we learn that a Democratic paper will soon be started at Edenton to be called the *Chowan Record*. CHARLES A. TAYLOR, of Oxford, and JAMES B. RODGERS, of Tarboro, are to be the Publishers.

☞ The weather of the past week has very much encouraged the farmers. Corn and potatoes have been growing rapidly; the cotton is coming up nicely the wheat looks fine. If there is no "back set" the crops will all "catch up" yet.

☞ Judge ALBERTSON has postponed Camden Court until the second week of the term, June 1st. He left on Monday morning to attend the meeting of the Centennial Commissioners at Philadelphia. He represents North Carolina in that Board.

☞ A singular case is reported from Salem, this county. EDWARD FLETCHER had a horse that showed symptoms of blind staggers. The animal kept on getting worse until it was thought it would die. One day it passed a snake, of the Moccassin species, three feet long, after which it immediately recovered.

☞ An acquaintance of ours insists that if there is anything for which a man is excusable in the least for using profane language, it is leaning against a fence for half an hour, in conversation with a friend, with his Sunday coat on, and then discovering that the fence had just been painted! Too bad.

☞ The proceedings of the Tyrell county Convention reached us too late. ELI SPRUILL was chairman and A. J. PENNINGTON Secretary. They recommend Dr. EDWARD RANSOM for Congress, Hon. J. W. ALBERTSON for Judge and WILLIS BAGLEY Esq. for Solicitor.

☞ The indications now are that the price of cotton this Fall will range from 18c to 20c. After planting enough corn for home consumption it may be wise this season to expend the surplus force in cultivating cotton. Plant no more of either, however, than can be properly attended to. Ten acres well farmed is more profitable than twenty acres only half cultivated.

☞ Much more attention is being paid to the raising of clover and timothy in Pasquotank county than two, three and four years ago. And the result is proving very satisfactory. Properly managed, these can be made very profitable for the fact is demonstrated that they are well adapted, especially the red clover, to this soil and climate. Our clover lots pay us better than any crop we can raise.

☞ A subscription is being circulated to raise funds to build a good Academy. We hope it will succeed for such an institution is one of our great needs. But do not begin it until funds enough are raised to erect a building that will be a credit to the city. When it is begun let it be with the determination not to be satisfied with a small, cramped edifice, but let it be ample in size and proportions to meet our growing wants.

☞ A correspondent from Winton informs us that on the night of the 13th inst., the Steamer "Ruggles" was burned off Gates Ferry on the Chowan River. The fire originated near the boiler, and spread so rapidly that all efforts to check it were unavailing, and the steamer was scuttled in seven feet water. She burned down to the water's edge, and her cargo, which consisted of 70,000 feet of heart pine valued at $14,000, was a total loss. She was a propeller of about 130 tons, and was owned in Philadelphia. She was on her way from Winton N. C. to Washington City, D. C.

☞ On Monday morning, May the 18, the body of Capt A. T. WOODLEY, was found lying in the shallow water at the edge of the log pond back of the Shepard Street Mill at this place. He had been complaining of severe neuralgic pains in the head for several days, and it is supposed that while attempting, in the morning, to pass over a footway at the point indicated, he was attacked with dizziness and fell into the water. The water was only about two feet deep where he was found. An inquest was held and the verdict was accidental drowning.

☞ Hereafter the rule had better be adopted to send no candidate for office as a delegate to a nominating Convention We charge nothing for the suggestion.

☞ Dr. SPEED wants to go to Congress. If it were *possible* for a Democrat, or Conservative, or "what do you call 'em" to be elected from this District we certainly prefer that *he* should be nominated at Edenton on the 28th. The old Doctor wouldn't suffer the cause to be a dull one at any rate.

☞ We call attention to the Card of JOHN B. CARTWRIGHT. Notwithstanding the pressure brought to bear upon him to be an indipendant candidate against the regular ticket, he declines. He is a true Republican—has been all the while, and he is not disposed to play the role of a disorganizer. His manly course will be remembered.

☞ A correspondent from Plymouth informs us that the name of Hon. W. A. MOORE was *not* put before the Convention at Williamston on the 9th inst. for nomination, and that the counties of Washington, Bertie and a portion of Martin refused to vote for a nomination. We make the statement in justice to the friends of Judge MOORE who, it is said, would not allow his name to go before the Convention.

☞ We have always felt a deep interest in education, and we have ever considered that one of the first duties of the State is to see to it that facilities and means are provided for the education of the *children* of the State. To suffer those who are to become the active, voting members of the body politic to grow up in ignorance is worse than a blunder—it is a crime; and the legislator or the party that fails in the full performance of duty in this respect is unworthy of confidence or support. On this subject neither in our paper, or elsewhere, have we uttered an uncertain sound. We are in favor of good schools for all—rich and poor, white and colored. All should have the benefit of public instruction, and no aid in our power to give will be withheld from advancing the cause.

*LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.*

Stories illustrative of Darwinism—tales of our forefathers. "A great falling out of the house to-day"—as the fellow said who tumbled out of the Court House. The surest way to prevent hens from scratching up a garden—put them in a pot pie. Bad manners—to look over the shoulders of a person who is writing to see what is written.

LOCAL BRIEFS.—The editor, being a delegate, left this morning to attend the Congressional Convention which meets at Plymouth to-morrow.—The Ladies Festival last week was liberally patronized. It could't be otherwise. They had so *many* good thing to eat.—One of the events of the past week was the marriage of one of our City belles to an Edentonian. See our matrimonial department.—Rev, E. M. FORBES, of Newbern, formerly Pastor of the Episcopal Church here, spent a few days in the City last week.—Court adjourned on Saturday. A good deal of business was dispensed of.—C. W. SMITH of the firm of BRODRICK & SMITH, left for the Northern Cities on Tuesday to purchase new goods.—In consequence of the absence of the Mayor, the Commissioners' meeting has been postponed to Saturday evening the 23rd inst.—The man with the "Flying Horses" was in town this week.—His honor Mayor HARNEY returned on Monday evening.—The County Commissioners have been sitting this week for the purpose of revising the tax lists.—The Fisheries near town are still in operation and doing well. Mr. PERRY's will close to day.

## Business Locals.

The best place to purchase good goods is Weisels.

Selling rapidly—everything at Fowler's on Water Street.

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Spring and Summer Goods of the best styles and at moderate prices are at Lowenburg & Jacobs 22 & 24 Market Square, Norfolk, Va.

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**NOTICE! NOTICE!!**

On and after April the 12th, I will close my books, and all work done at my shop must be paid for at time of delivery.

Respectfully,
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41-1m.

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42-tf. P. JOHN.

We again call attention to the valuable farm advertised on our fourth page by Joseph Wilson of Indian Ridge. It is certainly a very desirable property, pleasantly situated, the soil the best in the State and the natural advantages very superior.

**A CARD.**

TO THE REPUBLICANS OF PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

Having been defeated for the nomination of Register of Deeds, quite a number of my friends have urged me to announce myself as an independent candidate. But I am too good a Republican to act the part of a disorganizer, and therefore positively decline to do so. I take this occasion, however, to say to the Republicans of the county that I will be a candidate before the Convention two years hence for the same office and hope then to receive the nomination.

J. B. CARTWRIGHT.

Nixonton, N. C., May 20, 1874.

Capt. W. C. Parker, of Raleigh, Agent of the American Lightning Rod Co., is in the City. He has just finished a large job for Brodrick & Smith. He uses the star galvanizing rod which no other company South of the Potomac can use. Capt. Parker is a native North Carolinian to the "manor born" and understands business.

**Thanks**

Mr. JOHN L. WOOD:

*Sir:*—At the request of the Ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church we return to you their thanks for the use of your room in which they held their Feast. We beg to assure you of their high appreciation of this mark of kindness and are highly gratified to inform you that their laudable efforts have been crowned with success. With consideration of very great regards we are Yours truly,

GEO. E. BOOKER,
F. M. COOK,
M. B. CULPEPPER. } Committee.

E. City, N. C., May 19th, 1874.

Zina Fay Pierce, the young, eloquent and pretty daughter of a St. Albans, Vt., clergyman, has inaugurated a new departure in the temperance movement. Her creed is that the milder forms of liquor should not be classed with the more firy; that beer drinking and beer gardens should be countenanced by young ladies; that women should drink malt liquors, instead of tea; and that the total abstinence pledge is a "stigma upon the communion, and a direct accusition against the wisdom and morality of our blessed Saviour himself." The doctrines are certainly radical enough, but none too much so to find many who will approve of them.

THE Weldon *News* says: The negro, Hannon, who escaped from the guard escorting him to jail at Halifax, during court week, was found on monday last by Mr. Charlie Faucett, lying dead in Quandey, about one mile from Halifax town. A coroner's inquest was held over the body and it was decided that the boy fell over-board while trying to cross the stream and was drowned.

The question of the reorganization of the Government is the absorbing topic at Madrid at present. Marshal Serrano says he will form a better cabinet than the existing one, but he has deferred the consideration of the subject until his health, which is improving, is completely restored.

Newspaper Postage.—The House bill providing for the prepayment of newspaper postage will be amended by the Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads so that county papers can circulate free as well as all newspaper exchanges—*Washington Chronicle.*

Capt. Plato Durham declares it his positive intention to run as an independent Democratic candidate for Congress. He says he is only running to vindicate himself against the slanders which have been heaped upon him during the past two years.

Messrs. Geo. W. Stanton, of Wilson, E. C. Davidson, of Mecklenburg, and R. L. Patterson, of Forsythe, represented the State Agricultural Society in the National Agricultural Congress in session in Atlanta during the last week.

## MARRIAGES.

WOOD—MARTIN.—In Christ's Church, at Elizabeth City, May 14th, by Rev E. M. Forbes, Mr. EDWARD WOOD of Edenton, N. C., to Miss PATTIE MARTIN, daughter of Col. W. F. Martin, of this place.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE ALBEMARLE HOUSE

Wm. McLauchlin Charleston, S. C.; E. T. Foster, Wilmington; E. A. Leigh, R. D. Jenkens, A. A. Perry, Durants Neck; J. C. Pughs T. B. Bushall B. F. Bray, W. W. Morrisett, J. K. Abbott, M. Hughs, C. C. Walston, Camden; D. M. D. Lindsey, W. A. Wilson, Hertford; Mrs. W. J. Vasser, Roanoke Isl.; S. T. Simmons, R. W. Homer, Columbia, N. C.; G. F. Jones, Balt., A. H. Lindsey, Portsmouth; T. H. Rohm, Richmond, Va; J. C. Bailey, N. D. Taylor, Jersey City; Col. P. Backary, Magnolia; Benj. Spruill, Tyrrell; E. Dailey, Jas Bright, B. F. Edney, W. J. Munden, M. W. Butkin, C. W. Hollowell, S. Delon, Pasquotank; W. Cason, A. O. Dey, Dr. W. W. Griggs, John Stark, Currituck; E. Sweet, Goldsboro; S. F. Modicia, Raleigh, Jno. Wood, H. G. Skinner, O. Coke, F. Wood, W. D. Pruden, Edenton; C. L. Binton, W. C. Parker, Raleigh, N. C.; B. F. Crandall, H. N. Pope O. E. Malbey, J. C. Whitehaus, C. H. Whitehaus, C. E. Marshall, Norfolk, Va.

OUR RMANT ENERGIES.—Our bodies are not as vigorous nor our minds as clear as they might be. This remark is true of at least two-thirds of civilized society, and of these two-thirds probably one-half is laboring under bodily infirmities of a character likely to shorten the lives of the sufferers. This is a melancholy exhibit and furnishes abundant food for reflection. Can the evilbe mitigated? It can. Lack of vitality is the primary cause of most of the physical and mental suffering to which we are subjected, and therefore a vitalizing medicinal agent is the remedy required. Is there such a medicine? There is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will rouse and energize the mind and body when the life power of the system is in a comparatively dormant state. The languid, feeble, desponding invalid is not aware of the latent energies that underlies his debility. He thinks there is no element of vigor left in his frame, when the fact is that his physical capabilities are merely asleep and only require waking up. Let him stimulate and tone his animal machinery and endow it with new motive power, through the agency of this incomparable invigorant, and he will soon feel like a new man, or rather like a man who has received a new lease of life, and the requisite health to enjoy it. Many business men suffer from chronic langnor and depression caused by too close application to business. Hard students are often oppressed with melancholy from a like cause. Mechanics and working men are affected in the same way as a result of over-labor. To all who are in this condition, from whatever cause, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will prove a signal blessing. It is a perfect panacea for physical debility and mental gloom. It strengthens the body, clears the mind and calms the nervous system; while as a remedy for indigestion, biliousness, constipation, rheumatism, and intermittent and remittent fevers, it takes precedence of all other medicines.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The copartnership heretofore existing between William Lightfoot, Joseph Smith and J. W. Smith, trading as Lightfoot & Smith is by mutual consent dissolved on this 1st day of April 1874. WM. LIGHTFOOT
JOSEPH SMITH,
J. W. SMITH.

Jamesville, N. C., Apr. 15, 1874. 43-4t.

**Notice:**

The business of manufacturing all kinds of Yellow Pine Lumber will hereafter be carried on at the old stand of Lightfoot & Smith and Jamesville, N. C., by the undersigned, their successors, who will give special attention cutting of bills for the home or other market

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Jamesville, N. C., Apr. 15, 1874. 43-4t

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State of North Carolina, Camden County. } IN SUPERIOR COURT

Isaac Burnham Guardian of Samuel Riddick Plaintiff.

*Against.*

Jonathan Edey Def.

NOTICE TO SELL LAND TO SATISFY EXECUTION.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell the ollowing tract of land, the property of the efendant on the 25th day of May 1874, at the fourt House door in Camden County, being Mouday of Court week, to wit: Bounded on de West by Horse Shoe tract, the land of B. E. Spencer, South by Pasquotank River, East by John Williams land and North by Baird & Roper's land containing 100 acres more or less, to satisfy an execution in my hands against the property of the Defendant.

D. D. FEREBEE, Sheriff.

This 23d day of March 1874.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE!—*Estate of F. D. Bunnell, Dec'd.*

Having taken out Letters of Administration upon the estate of F. D. Bunnell dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit the same to me properly authenticated, on or before the first day of April, 1875, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to Intestate are required to make immediate payment to me.

GEO. W. CHARLES,
Administrator.

Elizabeth City, N. C., March 18, 1874-4t.

**A NEW STORE**

*ON*

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Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 14, 1874.-tf.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

*Estate of D. M. Lee.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of D. M. Lee of Currituck County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee.
36-3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of K. R. Pendleton.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of K. R. Pandleton o Perquimans Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee.
30-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }
In the matter of L. W. Lamb, Bankrupt —.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by L. W. Lamb of Camden Co. and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth, City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.

M. B. CULPEPPER, Clerk

30-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of M. J. Raynor a Bankrupt—.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by M. J. Raytor of Bertie, county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place

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39-3t. M. B. CULPEPPER, Clerk.

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

PUBLIC SALE.

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By authority of the Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act for the Relief of Mechanics and others, known as the Mechanic's "Lien Law;"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, To all whom it may concern:—That on the 30th day of April next ensuing at 12 o'clock M., at the foot of "Long Bridge" on the premises of A. McHarney, Elizabeth City, N. C., will be SOLD at public auction for cash the Schooner "Spray," to satisfy and pay the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty-three Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing A. Wilder & Son for work and labor, &c., on said Schooner; also the further sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing W. W. Griffin for lumber furnished for repairs of said Schooner "Spray" as per accounts filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pasquotank County, N. C., as also to pay all costs attending this sale.

W. W. GRIFFIN.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 28th, 1874.
33-12t.—(for pr. $10.)

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

*Estate of J. Barnard Sr.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. Barnard Sr. of Currituck Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

W. B. SHAW, Assignee.
36—3t Indian Town, N. C.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of A. H. Coffield.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

WILSON G. LAMB, Assignee,
39-3t. Williamston, N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 23d of Mar., A. D. 1874, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States of the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of C. L. Stokely of Pasquotank Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that at a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Coston Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of April, A. D. 1874 at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S. Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger.*
41-3t.

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In April of last year, about a month before we ploughed the ground, we manured a part of our corn ground, drawing 110 loads of coarse manure on four acres of ground. In the manure, which was mostly from horses and cows, was mixed a great deal of straw and refuse cornstalks, and it was therefore quite coarse.

The field was in sod four years old, having been mowed two years and pastured two. It was about the 10th of May when we commenced to plough, and by this time the grass had grown up through the straw until it was about four inches high. In ploughing, we found a great difference. Where it had been manured, the groud was loose; and when turned over, it broke and fell into pieces and was very mellow, and the work was much easier for both team and man. Where there was no manure, it was hard; and when turned up, it remained unbroken and never worked down as well as the other. Another part of the field was manured while we were ploughing. There was always a difference in the corn, and when we harvested the crop, the first manured was much the best; and either portion was a great deal better than were it had none. I cannot give the exact yield, as it was not measured; but we had thirty bushels shelled per acre, of good corn, besides soft corn which we did not measure. The miller to whom we sold a part of our crop, said it was the driest corn he had bought.

We began to plant our corn the 27th of May, and it was planted three and a half feet each way. We planted in fresh furrows, striking our cross furrows as fast as we wanted to plant. The corn came up well, and when it was about two inches high, we put on a mixture of ashes and plaster. On account of very dry weather in June, we did not plough till it was nearly a foot high. The field was clean; the corn grew fast, and we thought it best to let it alone rather than to work it when it was so very dry. It was only plouged twice; the first time we threw the furrow away from the corn, and the next we threw up the hills. On part of it the ridges were levelled with the hoe. It was cut and stooked in September; husked in November and December. Over half of it was caught in the snow, but we were not as badly off as some of our neighbors who laughed at our extra work in the spring, and had but little to husk.

We are so well satisfied with this way of manuring that we are doing the same this year, only drawing our manue earlier.—*Country Gentleman.*

### Sowing Seeds too Early.

In ordinary business matters precious opportunities are often lost by waiting—by not seizing the earliest moment for beginning. In many matters promptness is everything. The luckless mortals are usually those who are always delaying.

To a certain extent this applies to the business of the farmer, but there is such a thing as being too prompt. The right moment may not have come, and he who begins his work before the proper time loses an advantage. There is no gain in putting seeds of any kind into the soil before the earth is prepared to receive them. There is a preparation to be made not only by the husbandman but by nature herself. In all our Northern regions we are having a cold, late spring. The earth has not begun to recover from the chills of winter. The sun must season it; the milder breeze must fan it, before it will have any germinating influence upon the seeds that are cast into it. There are very few seeds that are not much better off in the house than "in the cold, cold ground." As well might we place a frozen hen on a nest of eggs with the expectation that they would hatch, as to look for a crop from seeds placed in soil that is still under the lingering influence of winter.

This is true in regard to almost every crop, true of most garden vegetables, notably true of corn. Better wait until the first of June before planting a field of corn, than put the seed into the ground on the first of May in such a season as the present. The corn planted on the first of June will overtake and pass by that planted on the first of May in the cold, should the latter make its appearance at all.

But there is a great amount of work in preparation that may be done, and should be done now so as to be ready for sowing or planting, whenever the proper time shall come. Every one who has a farm or a garden should at once see to it that it is in readiness, waiting and prepared to receive the seed as far as the preparation can now be made. Some of the soil is not sufficiently dry to be turned up, there is much preparation to be made for every crop, which, if made in time, will facilitate the growth when the proper season arrives.

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A potato-culturists says he was educated to plant three or four good-sized tubers in a hill, but, much against his judgment, he was finally induced to cut the seed, and for seven years past has been cutting closer and closer each season, untill now he cuts as near as possible to single eyes, and plants in rows three feet apart and ten or twelve inches in the row. His success has been greater since he adopted this plan. Each Spring he sells from half an acre of land 100 bushels of surplus, having used liberally in his family during Winter, and reserved enough forseed. He prefers Early Rose, and his soil and his tillage are excellent. Another experimenter records, in *The American Rural Home*, that he placed large and small potatoes in juxtaposition in the same row, and in adjoining rows, and fouud that, when planting was followed by moist and favorable weather, there was but little difference in results; but, when a drouth followed, the large potatoes took the lead, and held it through the season, yielding much larger crops.

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A great deal of doctoring is done to sick cattle and horses, especilly those that die, and since many get well without doctoring, it is doubtful whether medicine can do much good. Often the class of men who doctor animals are so ignorant and notional that they ought not to be trusted. The recuperative power of nature is really wonderful, even in restoring broken bones. The case is mentioned of a valuable heifer kicked by a horse and having the shoulder-blade broken, but which healed without treatment and became entirely sound. The dosing with powders, inserting seatons, and administering drugs by a long-necked bottle, are doubtful remedies, whether for horses or cattle. All kind of stock need the supervision of an intelligent and a sharp eye, such as almost at a glance will notice a drooping or the least falling away. Frequently a change of food, or even of position, will work wonders.

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A Japanese author asserts that hens fed on dry hemp seed will lay all Winter, and that if pounded charcoal is given with their food the flesh will become "beautifully white and rich."


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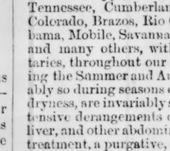

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*Estate of Henry Knaben.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Henry Knabe onf Chowan Co., N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee,
36-3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.


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*DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE.*

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FOR SALE BY

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Real Estate Agent,

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In presenting my list of lands and other properties for sale, I would say that no section of the United States offers such inducements for capitalists and emigrants, as this section of North Carolina. In longevity and healthfulness, it will compare favorably with any where; and in easy and cheap transportation of products to market, in pleasantness of climate, in the sociability of the people, in great fertility and durability of soil, no section can equal it.

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A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

A farm of 700 acres in Pasquotank County 10 miles from town, with fine two story dwelling, large barn, kitchen and other outhouses; as also, two other dwellings. barns and other houses at different points ou the farm. This farm is all cleared but 150 acres, is free from swamps and other waste land, and is well adapted to raisiug corn, wheat, cotton, oats, &c. The price is 14,000 in easy payments.

A farm of 500 acres in Pasquotank County, 6 miles from town, and one mile from the River, with good new dwelling built in modern style, barn, stables, four tenant houses scattered over the farm, fine water, &c. This farm is situated on the most public road in the County, has 300 acres cleared and balance in splendid pine, oak, cypress, maple, sweet gum, and other valuable timber. It is peculiarly adapted to raising cotton, $50 per acre, net, having been realized on a part of it this year in cotton. It also grows corn, wheat, oats, and other crops well. Price $12,000 in easy payments.

Two tracts of land lying on Pasquotank River four miles from town, neatly cleared, and in good cultivation, one contains 1,000 acres, and the other 600 acres. Both have good fisheries, and the land is equal to any in this section. Price $20.00 per acre in easy payments. Also several smaller tracts for sale, ranging from 50 to 100 acres each, at low prices, and on easy terms.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 20th day of Jan. A. D. 1874, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Zenas Fearing Pasquotank County, State of North Carolina, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their state, will be held at Elizabeth City N.C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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Restores the Appetite,
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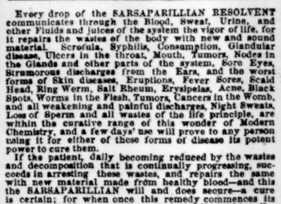

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Every subscriber to THE ALDINE for the year 1874 will receive a pair of chromos. The original pictures were painted in oil for the publishers of THE ALDINE, by Thos. Moran, whose great Colorado picture was purchased by Congress for ten dollars. The subjects were chosen to represent "The East" and "The West." One is a view of the White Mountains New Hampshire; the other gives the Cliffs of Green River, Wyoming, Territory. The difference in the nature of the scenes themselves is a pleasing contrast, and affords a good display of the artist's scope and coloring. The chromos are each worked from thirty distinct plates, and are in size (12 x 16) and appearance exact the similies of the originals. The presentation of a worthy example of American's greatest landscape painter to the subscribers of THE ALDINE was a bold but peculiarly happy idea, and its successful realization is attested by the following testimonal, over the signature of Mr. Moran himself.

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